

Docket No.: 057454-0981



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277  
Yasuo INOUE, et al. : Confirmation Number: 9456  
Application No.: 10/743,771 : Group Art Unit: 2815  
Filed: December 24, 2003 : Examiner: Warren, Matthew E.  
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For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME

**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Reconsideration of the rejections under 35 U.S.C. § 103 imposed in the Office Action dated March 21, 2006 is solicited in light of the following Remarks.